

# FOOD SERVICE AND DIETARY MANAGEMENT *certificate*

The Association of Nutrition and Foodservice Professionals (ANFP) approved Dietary Managers Training Program (17 credit hours) - supplies students with the knowledge and skills necessary in non-commercial food service operations. Specific topics covered deal with nutrition, menu planning, food preparation, sanitation and safety, human relations, purchasing, scheduling, training, record keeping, and supervision. Upon the successful completion of the required program courses, graduates are prepared to enter jobs as food service employees, managers, and supervisors.

With the successful completion of program courses, graduates will be eligible to take the nationally recognized Certifying Board for Dietary Managers CDM credentialing exam to obtain the credential of Certified Dietary Manager/Certified Food Protection Professional (CDM/CFPP). Students registering must have the program director's permission and work in the food service department of a health care facility while enrolled in the field experience courses. The student will complete 150 precepted hours as part of the field experience course.



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Food Service and Dietary Management program of Northeast Community College is approved by the Association of Nutrition and Foodservice Professionals (ANFP), 406 Surrey Woods Drive, St. Charles, IL 60174, phone (630) 587-6308.

## Required Program of Study for Certificate (34 weeks)

First Semester		Second Semester	
Course	Credits	Course	Credits
FSDT 1210 Supervision of Food Service Professionals .....	3	OFFT 1500 Microsoft Office .....	3
FSDT 1221 Introduction to Food Service Nutrition .....	1	FSDT 1231 Sanitation and Food Safety .....	2
FSDT 1223 Food Service for Medical Nutrition Therapy .....	1.5	FSDT 1250 Managing Food Service Operations .....	2.5
FSDT 1225 Field Experience – Nutrition and Diet Therapy .....	1.5	FSDT 1255 Field Experience – Management of Food Service	
FSDT 1260 Field Experience – Supervision for Food		Operations, Sanitation and Food Safety.....	1.5
Service Professionals .....	1		9
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Total Credit Hours		17	

Food Service and Dietary Management classes are only offered as online delivered classes.

Note: Students registering for a field experience class must work in the food service area of a health care facility and receive approval from either the program director or program coordinator.

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## FOOD SERVICE AND DIETARY MANAGEMENT

Successful completion of the Food Service and Dietary Management Certificate will make students eligible to obtain credentialing as Certified Dietary Managers (CDM). CDM work cooperatively with clients, health care facility staff, physicians, consultants, and vendors, according to facility policy and federal and state regulations.

CDMs participate in menu planning which includes responding to client preferences, substitution lists, therapeutic diets, and industry trends.

CDMs provide leadership and guidance to ensure that food quality, safety standards, and client expectations are satisfactorily met. They review, revise, and implement – in cooperation with the interdisciplinary team (IDT) – the client's nutrition assessment and plan of care.

Registered dietitians depend on the support of the CDM with a variety of duties including, but not limited to, the maintenance of food, supplies, inventory levels and equipment.

On average per week, CDMs work 44.6 hours and cook 6.8 hours.

**Source:** <http://www.anfponline.org/docs/default-source/legacy-docs/docs/cdmjob.pdf>

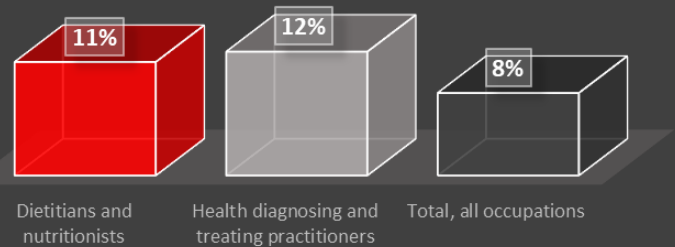


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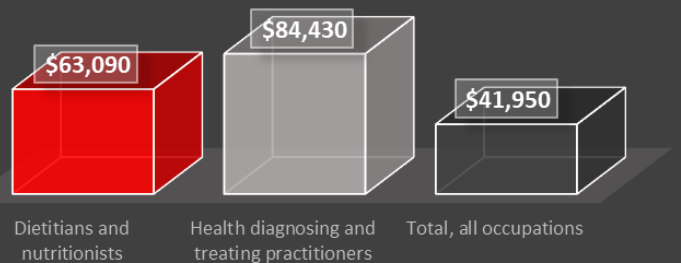
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### DIETITIANS AND NUTRITIONISTS % change in employment, projected 2020-30



*Note: All Occupations includes all occupations in the U.S. Economy.  
Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, Employment Projections program.*

### DIETITIANS AND NUTRITIONISTS Median annual wages, May 2020



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Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, Occupational Employment Statistics.*

**TUITION:** Estimated 2021-22 in-state tuition and fees for this certificate is \$2,125.